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TO Dewan Bahadur Rao
Palace Mysore

Rec'd. here at 11 H 35 M.

Referring to my yesterday's letter I am submitting an alternative proposal by tonight's mail stop I request it may be awaited before coming to a decision — Visvesvaraya

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DEWAN OF MYSORE 107 Tel P:1

Bangalore,
22nd November 1917.

My dear Rao,

I sent you a wire this morning stating that I would be submitting an alternative proposal regarding my future services in the State. I enclose herewith a note for favour of submission to His Highness.

You may remember that, when His Highness graciously offered me the office of Dewan more than five years ago, I suggested that I might be appointed a Member of Council instead. The present proposal amounts practically to a revival of that suggestion. His Highness need have no hesitation either as regards the sincerity or the feasibility of the proposal. I hope His Highness will be pleased to give his gracious consideration also to this alternative.

Yours sincerely,
M. Visvesvaraya
Dewan

His Highness